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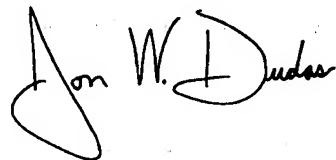
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

- 1) Column 366, Claim 17, line 18, please delete "oligonucleotide" and insert therefor  
--oligonucleotide--;
- 2) Column 366, Claim 17, line 23, please delete "5-niethylcytidines" and insert therefor  
--5-methylcytidines--.

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